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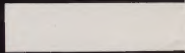
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POINT PROGRAM



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FOR BETTER RESULTS IN HUMAN RIGHTS...

You want your community to be a happy place to live in, and that means you and every one in your neighborhood must help. This program will help you create an atmosphere in which we all may live peacefully . . . with law and order, mutual respect, and civic responsibility for all peoples of every race, color, religion, and national origin.

Responsibility for achieving this goal rests with government, education, religious and civic groups and YOU. Special responsibility for community improvement programs is given to the Human Rights Commission and many cooperating agencies. But the success of a community program depends on YOU — what you, your family and friends say and do is important to your block, your neighborhood and your city.

The following 10 points are guides for successful citizen action.

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REPORT TO THE PROPER AGENCIES

If there is any danger to life or property, call the police. Report rumors or neighborhood problems to the Human Rights Commission.

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GET THE FACTS STRAIGHT

Don't be swayed by half truths and gossip. Get accurate details and help the authorities to find out the truth.

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ORGANIZE COMMITTEES

Organize human relations committees in your Parent Teachers Association, your church, club, veterans' organization or in your neighborhood. Be responsible for getting the truth about problems that concern you . . . and tell your friends!

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PLAN PROGRAMS

Plan programs about good community relations for your organization or neighborhood. Films, displays, expert speakers, discussion leaders, and books are available. Call the Human Rights Commission for help.

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ATTEND TRAINING PROGRAMS

Attend leadership training programs arranged by the Human Rights Commission, or ask for leadership training programs for your neighborhood.

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PLAN POLICE COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

Help plan a police-community relations program for your neighborhood. Invite your precinct police captain to work with you and your friends to build trust and respect between the police and the community.

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TELL IT TO THE WORLD

Tell people everywhere about the successful programs in your neighborhood. Tell whoever will listen, tell the newspapers, the radio stations and the television stations. Recognition will encourage others to join you. Use every effort to bring your story to the world.

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JOIN BLOCK ORGANIZATIONS

Organize individual block committees in your neighborhood. Join with the city-wide groups that are promoting these programs. This is your opportunity to better community understanding. Don't wait for your family and friends to be faced with racial or any other problems, act now!

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YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

Hundreds of civic organizations and community agencies want YOU! They can't provide services without your help. Civic duty is not a hardship; it is an opportunity to do something for yourself.

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TEACH RESPECT FOR LAW AND ORDER

Teach understanding, courtesy and goodwill to everyone in your neighborhood by setting an example of good citizenship. Your words and actions at home, on the street, in the classroom, church or meeting will influence your family and friends to act with good will.

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